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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## SYSTEM, METHOD, AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR ESTIMATING A POTENTIAL PERFORMANCE OF A CODESIGN FROM AN EXECUTABLE SPECIFICATION

the specification of which is attached hereto.

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